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## **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

The Honorable Mac Warner

Secretary of State

FROM:

Mark A. Spangler, Executive Director

West Virginia Board of Medicine

DATE:

July 12, 2021

RE:

Request to Lift the Temporary Suspension of Certain Provisions of Board of

Medicine Rule 11 CSR 12

The West Virginia Board of Medicine is the state agency charged with protecting the health and safety of the public through licensure, regulation and oversight of medical doctors (MDs), podiatric physicians (DPMs), and collaborating physician assistants (PAs).

On March 26, 2020, and in accord with the Governor's March 16, 2020 Emergency Proclamation and Executive Orders 7-20 and 10-20, the Board filed a memorandum request with your office to impose a temporary rule suspension with respect to certain provisions of 11 CSR 12.

Today, the Board met and determined that while the State of Emergency which initially prompted the temporary rule suspension continues, the termination of this temporary rule suspension is appropriate at this time. Accordingly, the Board respectfully requests that the temporary rule suspension with respect to 11 CSR 12 be lifted or otherwise rescinded, effective today.

Thank you for your time and attention to this request.